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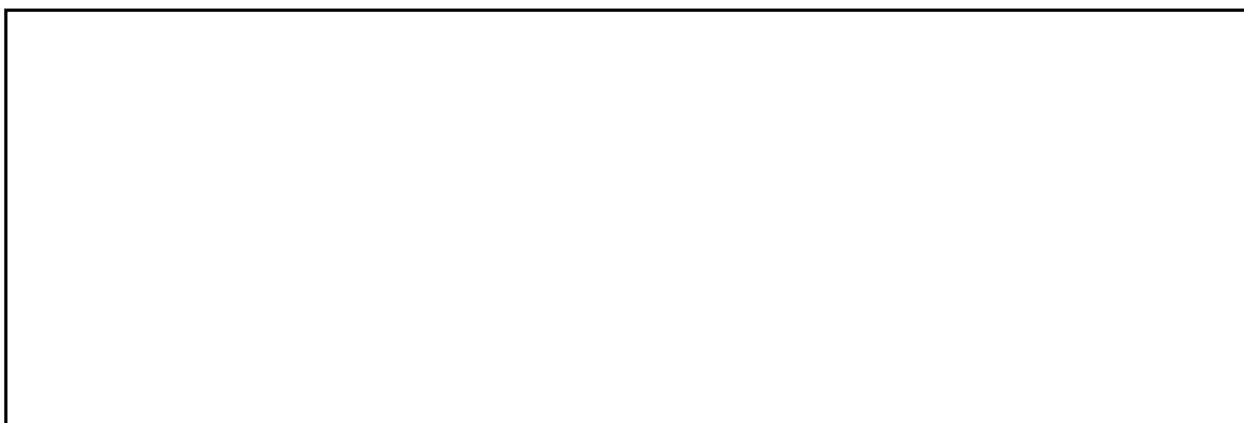
SARY OZEK IRBM LAUNCH AREA NO 1  
(TDI DESIGNATION: KARA BABAU 1)  
COMMUNICATIONS FACILITY



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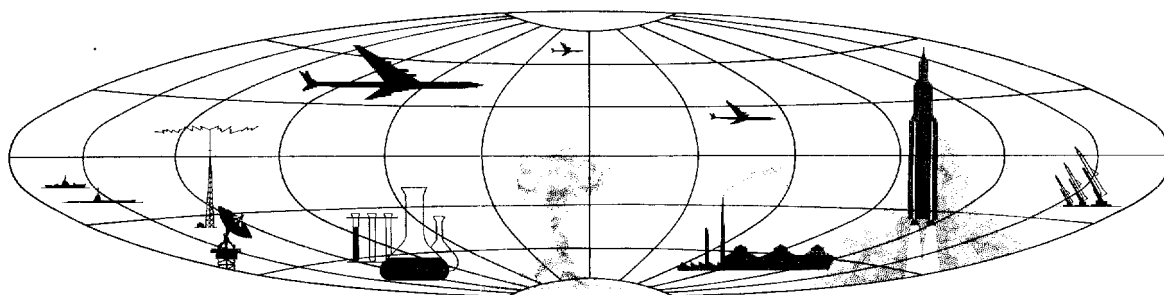


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Title: Sary Ozek IRBM Launch Area No 1 (TDI designation: Kara Babau 1) Communications Facility	Geo Coords: 44-32-40N 77-47-00E	COMOR No: None	Publication No: NPIC/R-285/64
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Reexamination of [REDACTED] photography covering Sary Ozek IRBM Launch Area No 1 has revealed an HF communications facility adjacent to the NE corner of the launch area (Figure 1).

The communications facility is situated in a 1,750- by 1,150-foot rectangular area surrounded by a security fence. Within the fenced area is one control building just inside the entrance gate, and one fishbone HF receiving antenna in the NE corner. Other ground scars within the secured area indicate additional antennas, but small-scale photography precludes specific identification. The negation

date for the communications facility is [REDACTED] 1/

Antenna data and operational characteristics are as follows.

Type: Fishbone 5-3-3-5 (2-bay).

Dimensions: Major axis 350 feet; minor axis 250 feet.

Estimated frequency: Optimum 18 mc; useful range 13-22 mc.

Major axis orientation: 135/315 degrees.

Possible correspondents: Vyborg, Leningrad, Ufa, Magnitogorsk.

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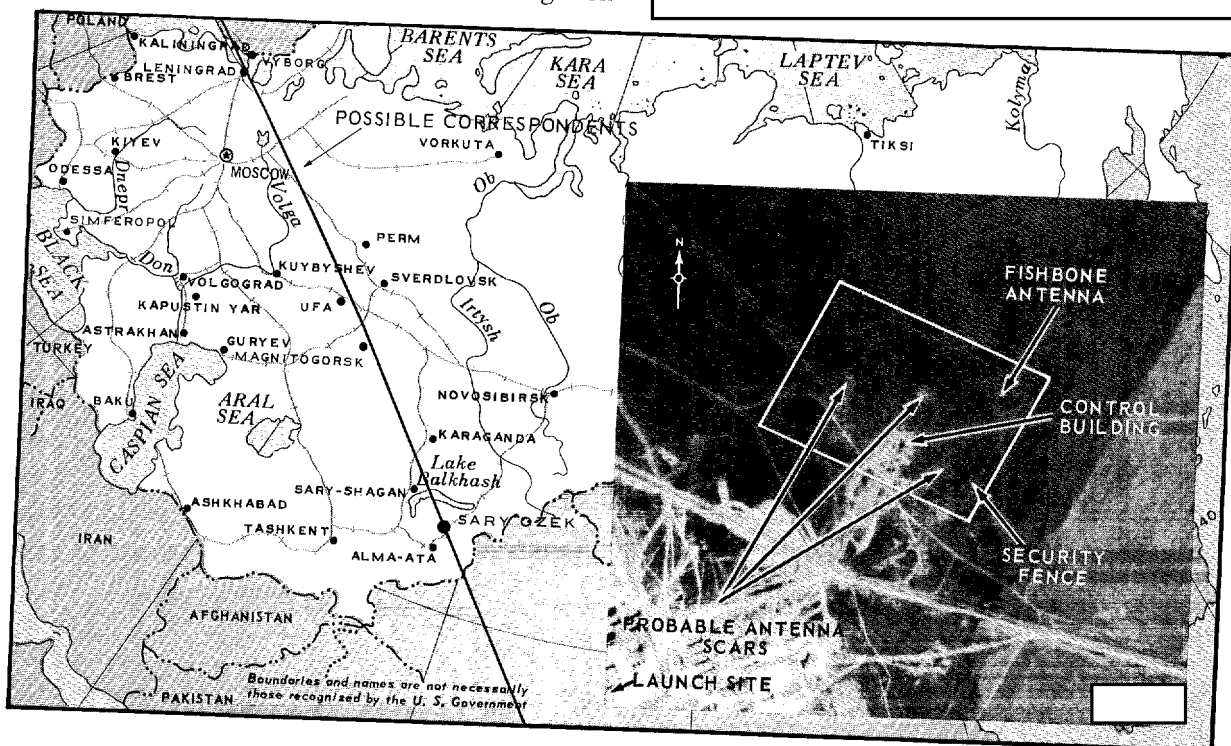


FIGURE 1. COMMUNICATIONS FACILITY.

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